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No American traveling about, either in England or on the Continent of Europe, can fail to be impressed with the general magnificence and elegance of the railway stations as compared with those in this country, and no traveler who has been hustled in a wayside eating house, after a fast of ten or twelve hours, undergoing the while that peculiar and very rapid digesting process caused by the motion of the train, can but realize in the keenest sense the superiority of foreign railroad arrangements in this especial particular to any to be found at home.

Railroad officials have long known this evil and tried in vain to correct the error. The trouble has been in the avaricious character of mine host, who waiteth at the road side seeking whom he may devour, rather than providing a smoking, hot, varied and generous repast for the weary traveler-just such a dinner or supper or breakfast as he charges for, but does not give you. But it would seem that a country and her internal improve ments must be just so old before the great moving spirits fully comprehend the evils that exist and move to suppress them, and in this order of things the old Baltimore and Ohio-renowned all over the world for its gorgeous scenery, its wonderful engineering, the magnificence of its bridges, and the solidity of its road-bed-has been the first to

move in detail, as the publicare especially interested.

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N. B.—I take this occasion to return my sincere thanks for the very large patronage bestowed upon me by the community, and to express my grateful acknowledgment of the high appreciation of my fellow-citizens of my efforts to serve them; trusting that I may be able in the future to render entire satisfaction to all who may lavor me with their support and confidence.

February 20, 1572.

THE Reliance Non-Explosive Attachment for - An affecting story is told in connection with a collision on the Parkersburg Branch of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad on Saturday last. Our readers will remember that John Walker, the fireman of one of the engines, was caught between the "footboard" of the tender and the hot wall of the engine furnace, from which position all efforts to rescue him were unavailing. The poor fellow, suffering the most excruciating pain, begged his companions to kill him, rather than let him die in that position, but, finally became calmer, and taking from his pocket a small blank book and a pencil, wrote a farewell Kerosene Lamp. Every family burning light in their chambers all night should use the attachment, thereby insuring thenselves and little ones from all danger by Coal Oil Explosions. For sale message to his wife, who lives at Pottsville. Pa. The devotion of a man in such a fearful position as the one described above must he very great to cause him to forget his ter-PROLIFIC or BREESES No. 2 POTATO - The best and most productive variety of Potato for main crop, producing last season sixty bushels from one planted. They boil dry and mealy- be sure and get the genuine ones-to be had at rible agony, and impart sufficient strength and nerve to his hand to indite even the shortest farewell message to the loved ones at home. The mere thought of dying away from friends, suddenly and without warning, is enough to unperve most men, but when the death is accompanied by the exquisite agony of bruises and burns, the statement that he not only remembered his family, but wrote a farewell note, sounds stronger than a romance. - Cumberland News. .

- An Eastern clerk has such an intensive dread of Cholera morbus that he will not kiss a woman whose lips are not ripe.

- Why is the paint for ladies faces like a fiddler's rosin? They are both used to aid

POETICAL. LEAF FALL.

Fall -let them fall around;
Fall, on the reddening ground;
Fall, as we fall away from life's sere tree Into the ocean of eternity— Lost, swallowed up, and drowned.

Fall, though the sun is high. And bright and blue the sky; Yet every soughing wind its myriad sends, Falling, still falling, as false hearted triends In our adversity.

Yet while they fall, still fall, A bonnier light than all, A bluer sheen than you autumnal sky. Shines on me, as I feel thy love-lit eye Dispel my being's thrall.

We walk, those leaves above,
Thy soft voice, like the dove,
Low murning; or, as when, the woodsamong,
On morn of Valentine, the wild bird's song
Whispers her mate of love. So let them fall away,

Friends of the summer day—
False friends, who can not bear affliction's test;
I know the love that liveth in thy breast
Will never fall away. Nover! Not even when Beyond earth's narrow ken, Like dead leaves fluttering in the autumn tide, We two have passed, our love shall still abide, Shall have grown perfect then.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A HASTY WORD.

ARRY," said I to our little five year old, "will you run and tell Bridget to have warm biscuits for tea?"

He started quickly, and, as he started, his foot caught in a little stand upon which I had placed a rare Parisian vase, with a rosebud just unfolding its petals in it. The stand fell over, and the vase (a gift from my mother)

was shattered. "You naughty boy." I cried angrily, "You deserve to be whipped. Pick up those pieces instantly and put them in the coal hod."-He stooped, carefully picked up the fragments, carried them away and was gone for some time. When he returned, it was with something clasped in his hand.

Coming to me he placed a five-cent piece in my hand, saying timidly : "Will that buy a new vase mamma?" What evil demon possessed me to take the

coin, his sacredly cherished treasure, a kind neighbor had given him, and throw it from me. I know not. Harry picked it up with tears running down his cheeks, and sat down upon his stool with hands folded so meekly. Presently he said :

"Mamma, may I go play with Eddy Pot-"I don't care where you go," said I crossly. as long as you keep out of my sight." Harry went to the closet where his cost and hat hung, put them on and came and stood by

my side. "Mamma, will you please forgive me? I am so sorry!" and he put up his lips for a

O ! God forgive me. I pushed the little fellow away. He stood by the door a moment, looking pitifully at me. It is twentyfive years ago to-day since he stood there; but I can see his blue coat and red and gray worsted skating cap, as the little feet went lar plots for grass and trees, protected by a slowly down the stairs. I heard him go out and unfasten the gate. Looking out of the built of Baltimore pressed brick, with iron | window, I saw the little fellow lift his face caps and balconies to the windows. An orna- with a smile as he saw me, which gave place mental iron piazza, ten and a half feet wide, to a painful quiver of the lips as he saw I took no notice of him. I watched the darling down the street with a strange undefined feel ing, till the little coat and red mittens were no longer visible. Twice a sudden impulse moved me to call him back, but I crushed it down. Oh! would to God I had. Well, I sewed all through the winter afternoon. At 4 o'clock I put away my work and sat by the window. Conscience began to reproach me

for my conduct. "I don't care," said I, "my beautiful vase is in ruins!" What is the value of all the vases in the world compared with your child? Have you not spoken crossly to that dear little Harry, who is always so cheerful and obedient?-And this is not the first time either; and you call yourself a Christian mother, too. Suppose Harry should be suddenly taken away from you would not your cruel words haunt

you forever? I could bear this no longer. I rose and picked up the stray litter about the room to give it a more tidy appearance.

Then I went to the window, peering out anxiously in the gloom, but seeing nothing of my boy, my heart became terribly heavy; this suspense was terrible. Hastily throwing a shawl over my head, I ran into Mr. Potter's. "Have you seen Eddie?" was the question before I entered the room.

"Have you seen Harry?" "He was over here at half-past two; he and Eddie went over to Josie Gray's, I think-" What she thought, I never knew, for at that momen the door flew open and Eddie rushed in breathless, screaming-"Oh! mother, mother! Harry Loring is drowned! We were sliding on the mill pond,

and there was a hole in the ice with snow on it, and Harry didn't see it, and -" "Hush, Eddie," said his mother," looking at me fearfully; "here is Mrs. Loring." There was a great silence in the room. broken only by the blithe, sweet voice of a canary, and the purr of a Maltese cat. Pres

ently Mrs. Potter came toward me and placed

her hand softly on my shoulder, saying :-"Ella, my poor child !" But I never moved, but sat gazing with wide open eyes upon an awful picture. A cold gray afternoon, a pond, and a little figure well-known to me suddenly disappearing through the treacherous ice, down, down, the little hand grasping at the treacherous weeds, the sweet mouth full of water. And these wicked, sinful words ringing in my ears: "I don't care where you go, so long as you keep out of my sight." There was a mist before There was a mist before my eyes, a ringing in my ears, I remember leaving the house with a blind feeling of going where my Harry was. Then came a horrible sense of the earth breaking away at my feet,

and I knew no more. A pleasant feeling of warmth, a languid sense pervaded my whole system. I opened my eyes and glared about the room. A strange woman by the fire; at the foot of the bed my husband with his hands over his eyes. I tried to think what had happened, but in vain. Then my attention was arrested by a little figure in a red flannel night dress cuddled up in a big chair-my Harry. Then it all flashed accross my mind. I set up straight in bed with a faint, "Why, what is it?"

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And the little figure came and jumped on my bed, and, putting his arm around my neck, cried too. And I, puzzled to know what it all meant, cried also. The strange figure came and took Harry away, saying: "Be careful now, Mrs. Loring, everything

depends upon keeping quiet." "Tell me all now," said I. "I don't know. I had such a horrible feeling. Oh, Harold, I dreamed Harry was drowned."

His face grew white. "He was near death. George Gray got him out of the pond. Gray sent down to the office for me. I went after Dr. Hopper and he came right up. There was but a spark of

life, but we succeeded at last." "How many days ago was it. Harold." said I. "Seven weeks ago yesterday," said he smil-

"Seven weeks !" said I. "Impossible !" "You have been sick with the brain fever, Ella. You were very near death; for days we despaired of ever seeing you conscious .-You would say, "Harry is drowned, and I made him drown himself!" Last night Dry Hopper said : "The crisis is at h

lives through the night she will Oh, Ella! I am so thankful you "I have been weak and sinful, II

said I, and then told him all, not keepir anything. He heard me through, stroking my hair in gentle fashion. When I had finished he

"It has taught you a lesson, Ella, dear," and that was all. I soon recovered. For a long time I could

not bear Harry out of my sight. It seemed as if I could not do half enough to atone for my wicked conduct. The thought makes me shudder now as if it had been that Harry had never come back to me, and that the last words he had heard from his mother's lips were so unkind. I have had three children since, and not one of them has ever re ceived a cross or hasty word from me. Oftentimes my patience is severely tried, but one thought of that horrible death to which Harry

came so near drives the demon away. Mothers, bear patiently with those little in nocentones. Are there not many whose eyes resting upon this simple story, are filled with tears at the recollections of the unkind words, and even blows, to little children laid away forever, who would give up all their worldly possessions, yes, years of their life, to recall those hasty words which made their lips quiver pitifully, and the clear eyes dim with tears? Ah! you cannot have them back .-They are gone and your sin remains.

[From the Weston Democrat.] A Reminiscence of "Stonewall" Jackson.

Our friend John P. Peterson, who, by the way, relishes a good joke about as well as any man of our acquaintance, tells the following unpublished reminiscence of the great flanker: When I was quite a young man, "Stone-

wall," who was then about seventeen years

old, was a deputy constable in this (Lewis) county. Close by my farm lived a man named D-, who always paid his debts "according to love " and had sued the old fellow, and obtaided judgment against him, and young Jackson was sent by the Justice to levy on sufficient property to cover the execution and costs. Armed with the authority of the law, Jackson (then a mere stripling) went to the troublesome customer's farm, had some conversation with him, and happening to see a colt near by, which he recognized as the old man's property, he immediately levied upon it, and told D- that he would call for it on the following Saturday. Great was the old fellow's rage when he discovered Jackson's errand, and he swore big oaths that if Jackson laid hands on the colt he would kill him, sure !-On Saturday morning Jackson appeared on the farm again, and seeing the old man, he asked him where the colt was. He replied. profanely, that it was in the stable, and if he attempted to take it out he would be the death of him. Jackson said nothing, but started to the stable. Ou arriving there, he found that D - had piled rails against the entrance, in a way that rendered it impossible to take the colt out without first removing them .-Without a word he commenced to throw them aside; when D-, seeing that Jackson was not to be seared with words, picked up a huge stake, and raising it high in the air, made a rush for "the little constable"-Just as the old fellow got within striking distance, Jackson pulled out a small, single-barreled pocket pistol and leveled it at the breast of the unruly defendant. The old fellow halted, and cussed, and cussed, but all to no effect. Jackson quietly pulled down all the rails with his left hand, and kept the pistol in good range with the right, and when he cleared the entrance, brought out the colt. mounted him and rode off. This was done without a word of abuse on Jackson's part, and as coolly as if he were engaged in eating his dinner. I was standing by at the time, and have had many a good laugh since at the rage and consternation of D-, and the cool bravery of the "boy constable." A Touching Story.

Stephenson, a country store-keeper, was one day trying to sell Joe a pair of pegged boots. The old man gave the article offered a fair examination, and decided not to purchase.

"Nice boots," said Stephenson. "Very nice boots," said Joe, "but I can't afford 'em." "Why, they are as cheap as any that they can make," said Stephenson, "only two dol-

lars "Yes, only I don't keep my hired man," returned Joe. "Hired man? What do you want of a

hired man?" asked Stevenson. "Well, I should want a hired man if bought them boots," said Joe, his eve twisting up with an even a more comical leer than usual, "the last pair of boots I had of you pretty much ruined me."

"How was that?" asked Stephenson. "Why," said Joe, "all the time I wore them boots I had to take two men along with me, with hammers, one on each side, to pail on the soles every time I lifted my feet." The store-keeper made no more effort to

- Has Dr. -- much practice now?" patients last week."

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How to Advertise.

Never run down your opponent's goods in public. Let him do his own advertising. Let your advertisements have something of the dash in them without exaggeration. It's as true of advertising as anything else

in the world-if it is worth doing it is worth

Handbills and circulars are good of their kind, but cannot take the place of newspaper advertisements. Injudicious advertising is like fishing where

doing well.

there are no fish. You need to let the lines fall in the right places. No bell can ring so loudly as a good adver-

tisement. People will believe what they see rather than what they hear. Small advertisements and plenty of them is a good rule. We were all habies once, but

We don't recommend advertising as the best way to get a wife, but we know that it is the best way to get a good trade.

People, who advertise may ence in these

According to the character your business set aside a liberal pr for your advertising. Keep yourself and ingly before the public, and it matters

what business of utility you may be abunced in, for if intelligently and industriously par-sued a fortune will be the result. The man who advertises shows not only a business talent above his neighbors but he may at once be reckoned among the independent, generous and public sputted of the community. He who hides his light under a bushel when such advantages as these at present afforded are so freely offered him does not

How to Select Rious -1 Look at its color: if it is white, with a slightly yellowish or straw-colored tint, it is a good sign that is very white, with a braish cast or with black specks in it, the flour is not good. 2 Ex-amine its adhesiveness - wer and knead a little of it between the fingers; if it works dry and elastic, it is good; if it works soft and stoky, it is poor. Flour made from spring wheat is likely to be sticky. 3. Throw a little lump of dry flour against a dry, smooth, perpendicular surface : if it adheres in a lump, the flour has life in it; if it falls like a powder, it is bad. 4. Squeeze some of the flour in your hand: if it retains the shape given by the pressure, that, too, is a good sign. Flour that will stand all these tests, it is safe to bny .--These modes were given by old flour dealers, and we make no apology for printing them, as they pertain to a matter that concerns every body, namely, the quality of that which is the "staff of life." - Boston Journal of Chemistry

A BEAUTIFUL MANTLE ORNAMENT. -A very pretty mantle ornament may be obtained by suspending an acorn, by a piece of thread tied around it, within half an inch of the surface of some water contained in a vase, tumbler or saucer, and allow it to remain un disturbed for several weeks. It will soon burst open and small roots seek the water ; a straight and tapering stem, with beautiful gloss green leaves will shoot upwards, and present a very pleasing appearance. Chesnut trees may be grown in this manner, but their leaves are not so beautiful as those of the oak. The water should be changed once a month; taking care to supply it of the same warmth; bits of charcoal added to it will prevent the water from souring. If the little leaves turn yellow, add one drop of ammonia into the utensil which holds the water, and it will re-

new its luxuriance.

SAVE YOUR CLOVER SEED - We have been informed, says the Franklin Patriot, that one of the largest and most enterprising farmers of this country last year saved enough clover seed for his own sewing, sold enough to pay for all the dry goods used in his family, and received \$25 cash in addition, This is the way in which he did it : He put a wire bottom of the trough in which he fed his stock, the wire being two or three inches above the close bottom of the trough. The stock in pulling the clover hay from the rack would scatter the seed almost pure through the wire into the receptacle belowners | 600

"HORSE POWER."-There is a story of one of the hangers-on at Washington who had been appointed engineer, a business of which he had no knowledge. The day after his appointment a gentleman and two ladies had the curiosity to look at the engineroom and its machinery, where they found the new officeholder on duty merely as usher, practical engincers doing the real duty of the socalled 'assistant engineer."

"How many horse power is your engine?" "Horse power!" replies greeny, with a look of mingled, pity and contempt; "don't you know the machine goes by steam?"

ALL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL -The other day a youthful pair, after the necessary preparations, set out for a church a short distance off, to be married, but no minister made his appearance. They repaired to the clergy man's residence to inquire as to the cause of delay, when, upon search being made for that gentleman, he was found in the cemetery, where he had been waiting for nearly two hours, believing he was to bury them. life-long knot was soon tied, and it was felt that "all's well that ends well."

SMALL MATTERS .- The nerve of the tooth. not so large as the finest cambric needle, will sometimes drive a strong man to distraction. A mo-quito can make an elephant absolutely mad. A coral rock, which causes a navy to founder, is the work of worms. The warrior that withstood death in a thousand forms may be killed by an insect. The pettiest wretchedness often results from deep trials. As chance took from those we love often produces exquisite pain or unalloyed pleasure.

-A Western paper chronicles the hanging of a horse thief, thus : "Mr. Jim Clementon equie abductor, of Minnesota, was lately the victim of a neektie sociable "

"You must not talk; lie down. Oh, darl- "O yes, I assisted in laying out three of his and a pill? One is something hard to get up, - What is the difference between a hill and the other is often hard to get down.

Baltimore. A. R. H. RANSON December 19, 1871-13

NOAH WALKER & CO. The Celebrated Clothiers of Baltimore Announce the introduction of a plan of ordering

LETTER.

READY-MADE CLOTHING

EAPPINGTON HOTEL.

The TABLE will be bountifully supplied with all the luxuries and substantials that the City and Country markets afford.

The BAK will be supplied with only Choice Li-

'isitors to the Hotel, and to transport baggage, &c. DR. J. JOHNSON,

MOUNTAIN VIEW HOTEL.

P. F. KELLY & CO.,

PHILADELPHIA.

JEFFERSON COUNTY BIBLE SOCIETY

Spirit of Jefferson.

CHARLESTOWN, WEST VIRGINIA, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1872.

Charlestown, Jefferson County, West Va.

COLIN C. PORTER, President. SAM'L HOWELL, Cashier. J. V. SIMMONS, Teller. The B. & O. R. R. Co. Become the Ho-Discount Day --- Tuesday. Bank of Charlestown.

BANKING BUSINESS.

BANK DIRECTORY.

AT CHARLESTOWN.

Officers

Officers.

J. W. GRANTHAM, President. GEORGE A. PORTERFIELD, Cashier. JOHN PORTERFIELD, Teller.

Discount Day---Friday.

AGENTS.

GEO. D. McGLINCY-Shepherdstown.

ROBT. RION LUCES and J. HUNTER BEL-

LER-Harper's Ferry.

JOHN W. DALGARN.

JOHN P. KEARFOOT-Martinsburg.

JOEL W. ROBERTS-Middleway. ADAM LINK, Jr - Duffields Depot.

TO TRAVELERS.

WINCHESTER AND POTOMAC R. R.

TIME TABLE.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

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Leave Harper's Ferry at 7 00, A M, and 1 15 P M.

Leave Shenandoan at 7 06, A M and 1 20 P M.

Leave Keyes' Switch at 7 20, A M and 1 27 P M.

Leave Halliown at 7 29, A M and 1 32 P M.

Leave Charlestown at 7 49, A M and 1 42 P M.

Leave Cameron's at 8 11, A M and 1 53 P M.

Leave Summit Point at 8 30, A M and 2 04 P M.

Leave Summit Point at 8 30, A M and 2 17 P M.

Leave Opequon Bridge at 9 02, A M, 2 20 P M.

Leave Stephonson's at 9 21, A M and 2 31 P M.

Arrive at Winchester at 9 40, A M, 2 42 P M.

Leave Winchester at 9 30 A M and 2 47 P M.

Arrive at Strasburg at 11 40 A M and 4 05, P M.

Leave Strasburg at 845 A M and 12 10, P M, Arrive at W inchester at 950 A M and 317, P M, Leave Winchester at 10 21 A M and 3 17 P M, Leave Stephenson's at 10 31 A M and 3 37 P M, Leave Opequon Bridge at 10 42 A M and 3 57 P M, Leave Wadesville at 10 45 A M and 4 01 P M, Leave Cameron at 11 10 A M and 4 41 P M, Leave Cameron at 11 10 A M and 4 41 P M.

Muster of Transportation

TRAINS GOING NORTH.
Leave Strasburg at S 45 A M and 12 10. P M.

A. B. WOOD, Agent, Harper's Ferry. JOHN L. WILSON,

WINCHESTER ACCOMMODATION.

Stopping at intermediate stations on Main Stom.
A. B. WOOD, Agent, Harper's Ferry.

JOHN L. WILSON.

June 9, 1872. Master of Transportation

BALTIMORE & ORIO R. R. COMPANY.

CCHEOULE of Passenger Trains arriving and de-

TRAINS BOUND WEST.

Drugs, _ Drugs.

THE undersigned having lately purchased the interest of Dr. J. A. Straith, in the firm of Geo. T. Light & Co., will be constantly adding to his stock of

DRUGS, MEDICINES AND CHEMICALS,

at their old and well-known stand on Main street, where can also be obtained a complete assortment of

DYESTUFFS, WINDOW GLASS,
PAINTS, PUTTY,

PATENT MEDICINES,

SCHOOL BOOKS AND STATIONERY,

THE Reliance Non-Explosive Attachment for

Harper's Ferry, Nov. 14, 1871. C. E. BELLER.

parting at the liarper's Ferry Station

June 9, 1872.

Leaves Winchester
Stepherson's
Watesville

Arriving in Baltimore at

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Express Train.

Mail Train,

also a large stock of

Summit Point
Cameron's
Charlestown
Halltown
Hurper's Ferry

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Cameron's
Summit Point
Wadesville
Stephenson's
Arriving at Winchester at

ALEX. OSBOURN-Unionville.

M. W. BURR-Brown's Shop.

HENRY S. LEAGUE-Lectown.

E. H. Roberts-Kearneysville.

collect and receipt for the same :

CHAS. R. LEE-Berryville.

The following gentlemen are duly auhorized to receive ADVERTISING and SUB-SCRIPTION for the "Spirit of Jefferson," and

> Like the other officers of the road controlling its various departments, a manager of hotels has been appointed, and the company propose to keep these establishments themselves, not from a pecuniary motive -for it is not strictly railroading-but so determined are they to break down the impositions practiced upon travelers that they have selected Mr. Kingsley, the famous caterer and restaurateur. for the position, and in him we guarantee the public will find all they desire. New stations are going forward as rapidly as possible, and and are being constructed with that aim to solidity, elegance and comfort which characterize the whole road. A model of the many in contemplation, we will describe somewhat

This building, which was commenced about the 1st of July, 1871, is now rapidly approaching completion. A large force of work men are now engaged putting on the finishing touches preparatory to the opening for the entertainment of travelers, which will be about the first of November. The platform, sixty feet wide in front of the hotel, is being paved with the Schillinged cement pavement, which has been thoroughly tested in the northern cities, and found as durable as the natural stone. It is laid in square blocks with circucurb of the same material. The building is

The centre building, 140 feet S inches front, is two stories high, surmounted by a lofty cupola, from which is obtained a magnificent view of the city and surrounding country. This part of the building contains the dining room, 148 feet 8 inches by 34 feet, which will seat seat some four hundred perfront piazza, as well as from each end, and is being frescoed in the best style of the art above the walnut wainscoting The wings, hotel office and gentlemen's parlor, with wash room and water closets for same, and in the

and water closets.

ing !" and the strong man wept like a child,